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EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS OF THE COUNTY IN FINAL TESTS.

MAY WIN SCHOLARSHIP

Maryville Conservatory, Business College and County High School Offer Chance to Good Students.

The examinations for eighth grade pupils will be held on Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21 and each pupil making the required average grade will receive a diploma which is a certificate of promotion and will admit to any high school in the state.

Several scholarships are offered by the Maryville Conservatory of Music, Maryville Business College and the high schools of the county. The rural pupil who makes the highest average grade will receive the first choice of scholarships; the second, the second choice, etc.

County Scholarships.

The following scholarships are offered to rural pupils:

(a) Four years free tuition in the Maryville High School.

(b) Six months free tuition in the Maryville Business College.

(c) Ten weeks free tuition in the Maryville Conservatory of Music.

Township Scholarships.

Hopkins offers two scholarships to the pupils of Hopkins, Union, Independence and Atchison townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Burlington Junction offers two scholarships to the pupils of Nodaway, Green, Lincoln and Atchison townships.

(a) Three years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Barnard offers two scholarships to pupils of Grant and White Cloud townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade

Elmo offers two scholarships as follows:

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil of Lincoln, Nodaway or Atchison township who makes the highest grade.

(b) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil of Lincoln township who makes the highest average grade.

Guilford offers two scholarships to pupils of Washington and Grant townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest final average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest final average grade.

Clearmont offers three scholarships to the pupils of Atchison, Lincoln and Nodaway townships.

(a) Three years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

(c) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the third highest average grade.

Ravenwood offers two scholarships to students of Jackson township.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Pickering offers two scholarships to the pupils of Union township.

(a) Two years free tuition to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Skidmore offers two one-year scholarships; one each for the boy and girl who make the highest average grades in Monroe township.

Graham offers two one-year scholarships; one each to the boy and girl who make the highest average grades in Hughes township

Places for Holding Examinations and Names of Conductors.

All teachers of each township are appointed to help the conductors in giving the examinations and in arranging the commencement program. If conductors are not present, the teachers may select them.

Hughes Township — Graham High School. Conductors: J. N. Geyer, Marie Medsker, Veronica O'Grady.

Monroe township — Skidmore High school. Conductors, E. R. Adams, Ruby Ruddle, Oto Riley.

Lincoln township — Elmo High school. Conductors, M. N. Yetter, Nellie McKnight, Audrey Broyles.

Nodaway township — Burlington Junction High school. Conductors, D. V. Culp, Lucy Palmer, C. O. Hester.

Atchison township—Clearmont High school. Conductors, Ralph McClintock, Earl Richards, Ethel Lawrence.

Hopkins township—Hopkins High school. Conductors, J. L. Nierman, Bessie Nicholson, Beulah Russell.

Union township—Pickering High school. Conductors, Hubert Garrett, Jennie Pugh, Alva Burch.

Polk township—Maryville Business College. Conductors, W. H. Burr, Maude Whitehead, Mary Cain.

White Cloud township—Davis school house. Conductors, Effie Henderson, Grace Fisher, C. B. Woodward.

Grant township — Barnard High school. Conductors, J. W. Pierce, Bertha Campbell, Hazel Noblet.

Washington township — Guilford High school. Conductors, A. B. Goodrich, Harvey Lucas, Madison Wilson.

Jefferson township—Clyde school house. Conductors, Sr. M. Maura, C. C. Vickery, Louise McCann.

Jackson township—Ravenwood High school. Conductors, Claude Ross, Nellie Halasey, Myriel Gates.

Independence township — Gaynor school house. Conductors, Ethel Stevenson, Cleola Dowis, Eileene Swope.

Examination will be given at the Parnell High school the same day and any pupils in Independence township who prefer may take the examination there.

Green township—Quitman High school Conductors, Anna Crater, Gladys Hunter, Okalla Suttle.

Easter Market

Saturday by Division C, Ladies Aid Society of Christian Church at

Kessler's West Side Hardware Store

For Sale

Black Percheron, weight 1900, good flesh, good style and action, 13 years old, registry No. 14034.

To be sold at

Hosmer's Monthly Sale

Saturday, April 7

at Gray's Pavilion

R. W. Parent

WILSON'S SPEECH IN BERLIN

President's Message to Congress Creates Sensation in German Capital—Conference With Kaiser.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, April 6.—The full text of President Wilson's speech, received in Berlin, April 4, created a sensation. The Kaiser received it during the night at headquarters and the result was a momentous conference at the palace. Those taking part were the Kaiser and Kaiserine, the Emperor Charles of Austria, the Empress of Austria, Von Bethmann Hollweg, Count Czernin, Foreign Secretary Zimmerman, Von Hindenberg and others.

H. B. Moyer and son, living east of Maryville, were in Maryville today and took home with them a brand new Ford.

"LIBERTY"

Episode No. 17

FERN, TO-NIGHT

TEN CENTS TO ALL

MAY BORROW $5,000

FUNDS NEEDED BY CITY TO PAY OFF THE CURRENT BILLS.

MUST WAIT FOR TAXES

Property Owners On Third Street to Petition City Council to Have Telephone Poles Removed.

At the meeting of the city council tonight, it is expected that an order will be made to borrow $5,000 from the Maryville banks to pay some of the bills of the city and also to have sufficient funds on hand to run the city until the taxes are paid in.

The vehicle ordinance for a tax on every vehicle in the city will probably pass the council this evening. Quite an amount of money will be raised in this way. The tax on vehicles has not been definitely determined today.

The insurance ordinance providing for a tax on every insurance company doing business in Maryville will not come up at this meeting. There is some opposition to this ordinance.

A petition for the removal of the Hanamo telephone poles along the south side of Third street between Main and Market streets will also come up before the city council this evening. The petition states.

"It is a well known fact that the property owners furnished the money necessary to erect the lamp posts for the White Way with the understanding and promise from the management of the Hanamo Telephone company that all of their poles would be removed from the said White Way district as soon as possible after the completion of the White Way. We find that the Hanamo Telephone company have removed all of their poles as promised except those along the south side of Third street."

BUYS MR. LYLE'S INTEREST

J. F. Montgomery Purchases Share of Partner, Who Sells On Account of Health.

J. F. Montgomery has purchased the interest of his partner, Harry H. Lyle, in the clothing store of Montgomery & Lyle. Mr. Lyle is selling out on account of his health, physicians advising him it is necessary for him to stay out-doors. He will take up farming.

The new firm composed of J. F. Montgomery, Will J. Montgomery and Andy Chris Cummins will be known as the Montgomery-Cummins Clothing store.

Mr. Lyle has been with the Montgomery store for five years and appreciated the business the firm has done and would like to have his friends still continue to trade there.

The Woodmen Circle will hold their regular meeting tonight at the hall.

Mr. Friend No Better.

Otis Friend, who is seriously ill at his home in Burlington Junction is still no better. No hope for his recovery is entertained.

Son For Wilcox's.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Wilcox of Conception, announce the birth of a baby girl, born this morning. Mrs. Wilcox was formerly Miss Beatrice Purcell.

Rowley's Campaign Expenses.

Burt M. Rowley in his campaign for township trustee spent $30, $20 going to the Republican township committee and $10 for printing.

Miss Edith Holt Ill.

Miss Edith Holt, who teaches in the public schools of Clearmont, is seriously ill with appendicitis and was brought to the St. Francis hospital this afternoon, where she will undergo an operation.

"The Crisis" Coming.

Manager Albert Kuchs of the Empire Theatre announces that he has booked "The Crisis," a new photoplay, adapted from the novel of the same name by Winston Churchill, for April 23 and 24.

Easter Service at Pickering.

Easter services will be held next Sunday morning and evening at the Christian church in Pickering. The evening services will be a story entitled, "The Beautiful City," in cantata form.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Hopkins are in Maryville on business today.

ARGUE PRUITT CASE

THE ATTORNEYS FOR BOTH SIDES COMPLETING STATEMENTS.

TO JURY LATE TODAY

One Divorce Suit and Several Other Cases Disposed of in Morning Session of Court.

The case of Mary Pruitt vs. Frank James for $10,000 damages will go to the jury late this afternoon. The attorneys were arguing at press time and it was expected then that it would be in the jury's hands about 5 o'clock. The suit is for damages, alleged on account of an assault.

The case against Jim Young for carrying concealed weapons was nolle pros by the prosecuting attorney.

Jim Young pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting on a public highway and was fined $5

Wm. E. Linville pleaded guilty to gaming with minor and was fined $25 and given a jail sentence of 30 days. On application of the defendant and for cause shown, he was paroled. The case against Linville charged with permitting gaming on premises was nolle pros.

The Lane-McKnight Lumber company of Burlington Junction filed an attachment suit against Lapsley & Bailey.

UREMIC POISONING FATAL

Gladys Bramble, 12-Year-Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bramble Dies of the Disease.

Gladys Bramble, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bramble, died at 7 o'clock this morning at her home on West Third street following a four weeks' illness of uremic poisoning.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence, conducted by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox assisted by Rev. C. Emerson Miller. Burial will be in the Oak Hill cemetery.

The child is survived by her parents, four sisters and three brothers. The sisters and brothers are: Mrs. Everett Baker, Mrs. Clarence Piveral, Ethel and Thelma Bramble and Robert, Louie and George Bramble, all of Maryville.

Among the out-of-town relatives who will be here for the funeral services are Mrs. W. H. Bohannon and daughter of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bramble, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson and Mike Preece, all of Skidmore.

COLONEL W. T. JENKINS DIES

Platte County Pioneer, Prominent in Newspaper Circles, Passes Away —Was to be Here April 27.

Platte City, Mo., April 5.—Col. William T. Jenkins, pioneer of Platte county, died at his home here this morning at 9.30 o'clock. Death was due to Bright's disease. He had been ill about a week. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Returned From Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Wilson returned yesterday morning from Daytona Beach, Fla., where Mrs. Wilson has been spending the winter for the benefit of her health. Harry joined her there about a month ago. They visited many points of interest in Florida and other southern states and had a delightful trip. Harry says he never missed a day taking a plunge in the salt water while at Daytona Beach. Mrs. Wilson is very much improved in health, in fact is quite well again.—Burlington Junction Post.

Rhodes Move to Maryville.

Mrs. E. J. Rhodes and daughter, Miss Hazel, are moving from Burlington Junction to the George Stafford property on South Mulberry street, which they purchased a few weeks ago. Mrs. H. H. Staples and Mrs. Ed Hackett accompanied Mrs. Rhodes and Miss Hazel to Maryville to spend the day.

Mrs. Kuth Returns Home.

Mrs. Otto Kluth, who was ill at St. Francis Hospital where she underwent an operation, wos well enough to be taken to her home, near Pickering today. For the last week she has been at the home of her brother, Marion Smith and wife.

Jeff Hoeker of Barnard is in Maryville today on business.

THE U. S. ENTERS THE WAR OF NATIONS

SEIZE WHOLE FLEET

THE U. S. IN POSSESSION OF 27 GERMAN INTERNED VESSELS.

SEND CREWS TO ISLAND

The Fleet Contains Passenger Liners, Freighters and Sailing Ships, Including Finest Vessel in World.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, April 6.—Germany's $51,200,000 mercantile fleet which has been interned here since the outbreak of the war, was seized by us today. There were twenty-seven passenger liners, freighters and sailing ships in the fleet, among them the Vaterland, one of the biggest and finest passenger ships in the world.

Officers and crews numbering more than 3,000 men were taken to Ellis Island for internment. It has been learned that some of the machinery of the ships has been smashed.

BERLIN DETAINS AMERICANS.

The Hague, Holland, April 6.—About 100 Americans are being detained in Berlin, according to information received from the German capitol today. Some Americans arrested in Berlin are suffering privations in prison, among them J. W. James, the New York journalist.

SUBMARINE NEAR TRADE ROUTE.

New York, April 6.—Wireless warnings were flashed today to Allied shippers that a German submarine had been sighted last night between Porto Rico and Bermuda. This locality is close to the great trade route.

$1,000,000 FIRE AT N. J.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Asbury Park, N. J., April 6.—More than a million dollars worth of property, including a score of summer hotels was destroyed by fire this morning which originated in the new $100,000 natorium. Men and women were swimming when the fire broke out, but all escaped

WILSON AND MARSHALL SIGN JOINT BILL AFTER PASSAGE BY HOUSE---THE PRESIDENT ISSUES A CALL FOR TROOPS

Washington, April 6.—The United States formally entered the war of Nations this afternoon when President Wilson attached his signature to the Flood-Martin resolution at 1:13 o'clock Vice-President Marshall signed the bill fifty nine minutes before the President's signature was attached.

President Wilson address a proclamation to the American people and issued a call for volunteers to bring the army and the navy up to its full war strength.

The President also gave his endorsement to the general staff army bill, designed to obtain men by selective conscription.

"Necessary men," said the president in his statement, "will be secured for the regular army and for the National Guards by volunteers as at present, until in the judgment of the authorities it is necessary to resort to selective drafting."

All German ships' crews are now in the hands of the government The Senate gave the President $100,000,000 as an emergency fund.

Washington, April 6.—The President signed the Flood-Martin resolution declaring that a state of war exists with Germany at 1:13 o'clock this afternoon.

It formally accepts the state of belligerency forced by German aggression and authorizes and directs the president to employ all of the military and naval forces and all of the resources of the nation to bring the war against Germany to a successful termination.

The President has issued a call for volunteers, but the exact number is not stated.

Washington, April 6.—With a telegram addressed to every unit in the service, the navy department awaited the President's word in order to mobilize the navy to its entire war strength These orders will bring out the entire reserve force of the United States. All naval reserves and the naval militia of all the states will be mustered at once into federal service.

Vice-President Signs Bill.

Washington, April 6.—The vice-president signed the Flood-Martin war resolution at 12:14 o'clock today, and it was taken to the White House immediately.

The general deficiency bill, carrying $164,000,000 appropriations, was reported favorably to the Senate. It included $100,000,000 emergency appropriation to be placed at once at the disposal of the President.

House Passes Resolution.

Washington, April 6.—The resolution declaring a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was adopted by the House at 3 o'clock this morning by a vote of 373 to 50.

Passage of the resolution followed seventeen hours of debate.

There was no attempt to filibuster but the pacifist group under the leadership of the Democratic leader, Representative Kitchin prolonged the discussion with impassioned speeches, declaring conscience would not permit them to support the President's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Those Against the President.

The fifty who voted against the resolution were:

Almon, Bacon, Britten, Browne, Burnett, Cary, Church, Connolly of Kansas, Cooper of Wisconsin, Davidson, Davis, Decker of Missouri, Dillon, Dominick, Esch, Frear, Fuller of Illinois, Haugen, Hayes, Hensley of Missouri, Hilliard, Hull of Iowa, Igoe of Missouri, Johnson of South Dakota, Keating, King, Kinkaid, Kitchin, Knutson, La Follette of Washington, Little London, Lundsen, McLeMore, Mason, Nelson, Randall, Miss Rankin of Montana, Reavis, Roberts, Rodenburg, Shackleford of Missouri, Sherwood, Sloan of Nebraska, Stafford, VanDyke, Voigt, Wheeler, Woods of Iowa.

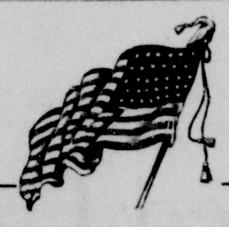
Cheers greeted the announcement of the result

A few minutes later Speaker Clark signed the resolution. The House then adjourned to meet again Monday.

Expect Fight From Pacifists.

Wahsington, April 6.—With America entering into the world war by a formal declaration, Congress today set about the task of providing an army to defend the cause to which the United States has committed itself.

Secretary of War Baker went to the capitol today to explain to the House Military affairs committee the administration army bill calculated to raise a force of a million men in two years. A bitter fight by the pacifists in and out of Congress is bound to be made on the conscription principle.



Declaration of War

Resolution Adopted by the Congress of the United States

WHEREAS, the imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America; therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the imperial German government, which has thus been thrust upon the United States, is hereby formally declared; and that the President be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the imperial German government; and to bring the conflict to a successful termination, all of the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the Congress of the United States.

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness followed by rain late tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight east and south portions, cooler Saturday west portion.

Urge Cuba to Declare War.

New York, April 6.—The President of Cuba has urged the Congress of Cuga to declare that a state of war exists between Cuba and Germany.

Brazil Wants War.

Beunos Aires, April 6.—An anti-German manifestation is occurring at Rio Janeiro. The people are demanding war against Germany says the dispatch.

Feature Tonight Brady-Made Picture With

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Mrs. Ed Gingrich, Hostess.

Mrs. Ed Gingrich was hostess to the Lasher Homemaking Circle which met yesterday afternoon at her home west of Maryville. Roll call was answered with Sunday dinner menus. Discussions on the serving of meals and on dining room furnishings was held. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The members present were Mrs. C. T. Barrow, Mrs. Will Knepper, Mrs. Lawrence Gault, Mrs. Lloyd Martin Mrs. Ed Gingrich and Mrs. James Stevenson. Two guests, Mrs. Chance Evans and Mrs. Logan were present.

"Mr. Bob" At Guilford.

Last Friday night the Guilford High School gave their annual play. The play selected for this year was entitled "Mr. Bob," which is a good drama in two acts.

Unfortunately one of the boys, who was to take part in the play, took the measles just a few days before the date set for the pla But his part was taken by Mr. Goodrich, the principal and the play was given on time

A good sized crowd was in attendance, even though the weather was threatening. Music was furnished by the school orchestra. Then the play was given with unexpected success. The characters were represented by Bernice Manship, Ottie Meeker, Alice Thompson, Laveta McClanahan, Wilburn Wallace, Glenn Anderson and A. B. Goodrich.

A TREATMENT FOR NERVES

Woman Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her.

West Danby, N. Y.—"I have had nervous trouble all my life until I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for nerves and for female troubles and it straightened me out in good shape. I work nearly all the time, as we live on a farm and I have four girls. I do all my sewing and other work with their help, so it shows that I stand it real well. I took the Compound when my ten year old daughter came and it helped me a lot. I keep it in the house all the time and recommend it."—Mrs. DEWITT SINCEBAUGH, West Danby, N. Y.

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The players, as well as the audience, enjoyed the evening, and were delighted with the proceeds, which are to be used for the school.

W. R. C. to Meet.

The W. R. C. will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The D. A. R. will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. LeGrand Gann.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Horse Transport Sunk.

Washington, April 6.—Outrage was added to outrage today in the sinking without warning of the Leyland, a Canadian transport on which there were fifty-six Americans. A cable from Consul Frost at Queenstown revealed this today, when it was thought that all had landed safe.

George Patterson of Skidmore is a Maryville visitor today.

Willis Oxley of Hopkins is in Maryville today on business.

XTRAGOOD

Got that Boy Fitted Up *for* Easter Yet?

Remember, he appreciates new clothes just as you do and he needs it, too, undoubtedly. The hard, grinding wear that he's given his winter suit has left in such shape that you almost have to be ashamed of him before company. We make a specialty of outfitting the youngsters. And we have a line of the newest spring togs for him at prices that are mighty gratifying these "high-cost-of-living" times.

Special Values in Boys' Easter Suits at

$5, $7.50, $10 and $12.50

Corwin-Murrin Clothing Company

Attempt to Blow Up Bridge.

Waterville, Me., April 6.—An attempt to blow up the Maine-Central railroad bridge here was frustrated by a guard who threw a bomb from the bridge just before the arrival of a train. The bomb exploded, digging a big hole on the embankment.

Mrs. Corwin to Oklahoma.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin leaves tonight for Edmund, Okla., called there by the illness of her brother, J. P. Jayne.

Among the out-of-town people in Maryville today are: Grant Elrod, George T. Clardy, J. B. Bailey, C. S. Abbott of Elmo, G. C. Bird of Maitland and Howard Beedle of Ravenwood.

P. L. Growney was called to St. Joseph yesterday on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Growney.

L. L. Maier, who has been quite ill of quinsy for the last week, is somewhat improved today.

Henry and Herman Heitman, living southeast of Maryville, were in Maryville today.

D. E. Brogan, clerk of the Star of the West school near Sheridan was in Maryville on business today.

Mrs. Oma Hughes of Kansas City, was in Maryville attending court yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. James of Elmo were in Maryville attending court today.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There's no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine — double strength — is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine — double strength — from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Ruskin Hawkins, who attends the University of Missouri at Columbia, is here to spend the Easter vacation with his father, Prof. C. A. Hawkins.

Mrs. A. Vandersloot went to Kansas City this afternoon for a several days visit with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Sutton.

Mrs. Robert Riley of Conception who is taking treatment at the St. Francis hospital is reported as improving.

Mrs. Thomas Graham and son and daughter of Conception are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

Easter Shoes

Who's?

Montgomery Shoe Company's

GRAHAM H. S RAISED.

Becomes First-Class High School, Having Met all Requirements.

The Graham consolidated high school has been approved as a first-class high school by the State Superintendents of Schools, having met the requirements and conditions of such class of high schools. This school has a four-year course. J. N. Geyer is superintendent of the school, with Miss Althea Miller as principal and J. M. Decker as head of the English and History departments.

John Hunt of Sheldon, Ia., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Martin Hunt.

Mrs. Fleet Russell of Savannah is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Key of Maryville.

F. D. Gates of Hopkins was in Maryville today on business.

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Nothing will show uch a fine appreciation of the meaning of the day — nothing will prove such a symbol of endearment as a gift of flowers for Easter.

In point of variety, xtent and sturdiness of stock we have a splendid selection and you are cordially invited to view this display of beautiful Lilies, Spireas, Hyacinths, Tulips, Daffodils and other seasonable varieties.

Telephone or mail your order if you cannot call. It would be to your advantage to place your order as early as possible preceding Easter Sunday April 8th.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
Phones 17 1001 S. Main St.

If You Suffer From Catarrh

don't make the fatal mistake of regarding it as a trifling matter. Authorities agree that Catarrh is an infection of the blood. Consequently, sprays, salves and lotions can afford only temporary relief, because they do not reach the source of the disease,—the blood. When you depend on these temporary remedies alone your case is likely to grow steadily worse until it becomes chronic and possibly affects the lungs.

But even if the infection does not go this far, the continuous dripping of mucous in the throat, the constant spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 302 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

Closing Out Sale of Star Barn Livery Stock

Maryville, Saturday, April 14

18 HEAD OF HORSES As good a lot of livery horses as there is in the country. Some extra good single drivers in the lot.

BUGGIES, CARRIAGES, HARNESS, SADDLES, ROBES—Lots of them and all kinds and in condition to do you lots of good. Will also sell one cab.

I am discontinuing the livery business and all of this stock will sell to you at your price—So don't forget the date, time and place.

Sale will Start at 10 o'clock sharp

TERMS—$10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

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Jos. Jackson, Jr., Clerk

Q. A. Gilmore

P. S.—I will continue my feed business but the livery stock must sell.

Save Your Old Tires

Two of your old casing can be made into one good tire at a very small expense. Our method of tearing down and rebuilding old tires is a proven success, we have been doing this work in Maryville since last October, with an ever increasing number of satisfied customers.

We do both double treading and put on new treads. Let us look at your old tires before you sell them for junk—we can tell whether or not they can be profitably rebuilt for you.

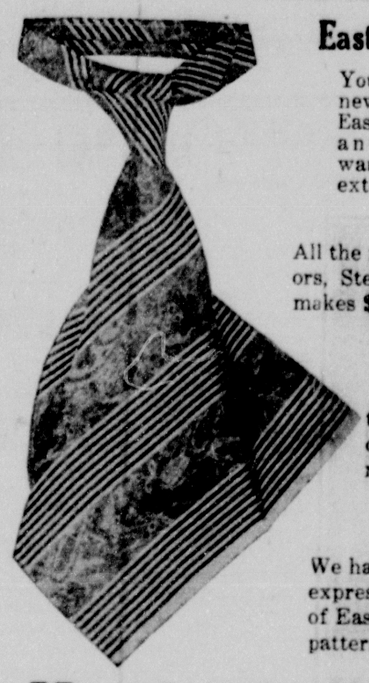
Our proposition will bear the strictest investigation. We can refer you to satisfied customers in and around Maryville whom you know personally. Come in any time, will be glad to show you how we do this work.

—PRICES—

30x3 Double Tread $3.00 New Tread put on $6.55
30x3½ Double Tread $3.25 New Tread put on $7.65
Other Sizes in Proportion.

Carperter & Kramer
421 N. Main St. Maryville, Missouri

Home of Kuppenheimer and Styleplus Clothes



Easter Furnishings

You will need some new furnishings for Easter and we have anticipated your wants to the fullest extent.

HATS

All the new shapes and colors, Stetson and other good makes **$3.00, $3.50, $4.00**

SHIRTS

New and attractive patterns, fast colors, standard makes **$1 to $5.00**

TIES

We have just received by express a new shipment of Easter Ties. Beautiful patterns. Special at **50c**

Murphy Clothing Co.

The only clothing store in Maryville that marks all its goods in plain figures and sells one price to all.

The refreshments were daintily served, the American flags being used for decoration. A game of "Wynkuny" closed the festivities. The committee which arranged for the event were: Entertainment committee, Mabel Fraser, chairman, Mabel Cook, Nile Selecman, and Randolph Holt; Refreshment committee, Wilda Keef, chairman, Melba Appleby, Mildred Eckert, Mildred Shinabargar, Vivian Lyle, and Clio Coler; Finance committee, Forrest Hutchison, chairman, Lynn Auten, Mildred Nicholas, Marie Price. There are 39 members of the class, who are: Mary Louise Andrews, Melba Appleby, Lynn Auten, Lacy Auten, Stella Brown, Clio Coler, Mabel Cook, Roland Curnutt, Mildred Eckert, William Engelmann, Willy Foster, Mabel Fraser, Kate Hilsabeck, Rudolph Holt, Harold Houchens, Dale Hughes, Forrest Hutchison, Mary Irvin, Wilda Keef, Joe Kemp, Vivian Lyle, Creston Maul, Bert McDonald, Sadie Neal, Margaret Norris, Alice Peery, Claude Pierpoint, John Price, Harry Price, Marie Price, James Robinson, Vesta Rogers, Frank Russell, Nile Selecman, Mildred Shinabargar, Alma Tabler, Halcott Toel, Odessa Wells, and Roberta Wells.

A CLEAR COMPLEXION

Ruddy Cheeks—Sparkling Eyes —Most Women Can Have

Says Dr. Edwards, a Well-Known Ohio Physician

Dr. F. M. Edwards for 17 years treated scores of women for liver and bowel ailments. During these years he gave to his patients a prescription made of a few well-known vegetable ingredients mixed with olive oil, naming them Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, you will know them by their olive color.

These tablets are wonder-workers on the liver and bowels, which cause a normal action, carrying off the waste and poisonous matter in one's system.

If you have a pale face, sallow look, dull eyes, pimples, coated tongue, headaches, a listless, no-good feeling, all out of sorts, inactive bowels, you take one of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets nightly for a time and note the pleasing results. Thousands of women as well as men take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the successful substitute for calomel—now and then just to keep in the pink of condition. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Sixty-five at Banquet.

About sixty-five men attended the three-course banquet given last night at the Pickering hotel by the women of the Methodist church of Pickering. Dr. W. F. Burris of Maryville, gave the main address and the Rev. C. S. Dayhoff pastor of the church was the toastmaster. Reverend Dayhoff spoke on the "Relation of the Church and Community," and Roland Wray, superintendent of the Sunday School, responded with a talk on the "Relation of the Sunday School to the Community." Professor Garrett spoke on the "Public Schools and Community," and Frank Wallis talken on "General Community"

DeBevoise

'Quality-Plus' BRASSIERS

WE carry a complete line of this popular DeBovoise Brassier. The dainty creations combine the delicate beauty of an under bodise with the practical advantages of a brassier. The dress shield type is guaranteed moisture-proof, shield stitched in net sleeves. If you wear one of these clever DeBevoise creations your gown is safe and your mind at rest. The shields cannot slip or roll up—practically invisible. Washable—always ready.

Prices from 50c to $2 50

REMUS Mercantile Company

Ellison's Have Guests.

Mrs. Ike T. Pryor of Fort Stockton, Texas, arrived yesterday and Mrs. Estill D. Holland of Hot Springs, Ark., came today to visit their parents, Judge and Mrs. W. C. Ellison.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD

Hanamo phone 42, Farmers phone 114

Dinner Guests at Schenck's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Airy and daughter, Miss Lucile Airy, will be dinner guests tonight of Mrs. Eugenia H. Schenck and Miss Kate Schenck.

Easter Party for Children.

An Easter party will be given from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the Christian church for the children of the Primary department. The mothers are cordially invited to be present as there will be special entertainment.

Epperson's Entertain.

Mrs. G. R. Epperson and daughter, Miss Ethel, entertained the members of the Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church yesterday afternoon. Twenty-seven members answered the roll call and two visitors were present. They were: Mrs. Hutchison and Mrs. Elmer Fraser. The regular program was held. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Walter Mutz, Mrs. S. H. Kemp, Mrs. S. M. Townsend and Mrs. Henry Wells.

Mrs. W. P. Scott, Hostess.

Mrs. W. P. Scott entertained the Social Hour club at her home, northwest of Pickering, Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with Easter thoughts. Mrs. Omar Strong played a pleasing selection on the piano. Two new members were taken into the club, Mrs. Will Spangler and Mrs. Roy McMullen. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Leslie Hanna, to the following guests and members: Mrs. Porter, Mrs. W. A. Spangler, Mrs. Roy McMullen, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. W. P. Scott and Mrs. Leslie Hanna.

Country Club Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport entertained the Country Club last night at the White home west of Maryville. The house was prettily decorated with Easter chickens and rabbits. Various games furnished amusement for the guests. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edna Davenport. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mrs. Lillie Shelton, Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mrs. F. P. Hall, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Misses Clydell White, Goldia Adcock, Elizabeth Lee, Edna Davenport, Leora Willhoyte; Wilfred White, Jesse Logan, Ray Zimmerman, Mr. Ross and Frank Pierce.

Sophomore Class Party.

The Sophomore class of the Maryville High School entertained the members of the faculty with a patriotic party at the High school last night. The gymnasium was beautifully decorated for the occasion with large and small American flags. Several amusing games were played and then the guests played dominoes. The prizes were won by Misses Roberta Wells and Clio Coler, each girl receiving a boquet of roses.

Sore shoulders, lame back, stiff neck, all pains and aches yield to Sloan's Liniment.

Do not rub it. Simply apply to the sore spot, it quickly penetrates and relieves. Cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments, it does not stain the skin.

Keep a bottle handy for rheumatism, sprains, bruises, toothache, neuralgia, gout, lumbago and sore stiff muscles.

At all druggists, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment KILLS PAIN

Left in Perfect Order

It will surprise you to know how little disturbance is made in wiring your house for electric service.

Your friends will tell you the wiremen leave the house in as good a condition as when the work started.

There will be no tearing up the floors, no repapering no mutilation of the plaster. Our expert wiremen will astonish you with the ease which they "fish" the wire between the walls

It sounds like a big job. It isn't. The expert wiremen are rapid workers and just a few days, sometimes only two, and they are gone—and you are left with an electrically lighted house, a delight to you.

The cost?

We've just worked out a new easy payment plan. Let us show you how little it will cost you and all about the plan.

Why not INQUIRE TODAY?

FREE An Electric Iron and Ironing Board

Our Special Offer—Good Until May 15th, Includes an Electric Iron and Ironing Board with every job of house wiring we do in houses already built.

This is a most unusual offer and will not be repeated when the time limit has expired.

Maryville Light, Heat & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building

The **PENN** MUTUAL LIFE

Is still issuing policies FREE FROM RESTRICTIONS AS TO MILITARY SERVICE. This is subject to chang on new policies any time. SEE ME at once, room 5, Empire Theatre building, and get your additional insurance in force RIGHT AWAY WITHOUT RESTRICTIONS AS TO MILITARY SERVICE.

PENN MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

A. NEIL SOMERVILLE,
DISTRICT AGENT

APRIL SEVENTEEN and EIGHTEEN

Maryville Annual Spring Music Festival

MINNEAPOLIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, *EMIL OBERHOFFER, CONDUCTOR*

and the following quartet of celebrated singers: Lucile Stevenson, Soprano; Jean Vincent Cooper, Contralto; Charles Harrison, Tenor; Royal Dadmun, Baritone

THREE PROGRAMS—Tuesday night, April 17, in the First M. E. Church will occur a song recital by Miss Cooper and Mr. Harrison. Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock the Orchestra assisted by the four singers will give two programs.

The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra is recognized as one of the very best orchestras in America, and the Quartet accompanying them this year is stronger than ever before. The Song Recital on Tuesday night will be given in the First M. E. Church and both Orchestra Concerts will be given in the Normal Auditorium Note the places and dates. Buy Tickets early. SEASON TICKETS – Season Tickets will sell for $2.50 and $2.00. Students $2.00 and $1.50. Single admission Tuesday night $1.00, Wednesday afternoon $1.50 and $1.00, Wednesday night $1.50.

Tickets go on Sale Tuesday, April 10th at LANDON MUSIC COMPANY STORE. Mail orders, with check enclosed, will have prompt attention. Make checks payable to P. O. Landon, Manager

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

PASTURES FOR RENT—160 or 200 acres. Both pastures watered by a spring. John Graham, Farmers phone 168. 6-9*

FOR WELL BORING, see Charles Partridge. Call Knox Garage, Han. 313. 3-9*

BOARDING by day or week. Rooms for rent, 2½ blocks from square on South Main. T. C. Pope. 4-6*

There are 104 reasons why you should buy Reid's Yellow Dent, Iva Silvermine, Johnson and Boone County Seed Corn from M. C. Thompson, Farmers phone 219-11. 2-14*

WANTED

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 6-9

WANTED—Experienced single farm hand to work by month on farm. Inquire at this office. 5-7

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call Mrs. Chas. Wells, Farmers phone 23-0-16. 5-7*

WANTED—A small barn or outbuilding suitable for garage. Guy Haller, Farmers phone 56-15. 5-7*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Queen incubator in good condition. Call Han. 516. 6-9

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Leghorn eggs, $4.00 per 100, 75c per setting. Jess Dowden, Maryville, Route 3, Farmers phone 1-15. 13-9*

FOR SALE—Cyphers 72-egg incubator, been used one season. M. A. Peery. 5-7

FOR SALE—Work mare, gentle; 2 cows giving milk; 2 heifers, will be fresh soon; farm wagon. 1109 East First street. 5-7

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room flat with bath, formerly occupied by J. C. Denham. See P. O. Landon. 4-6

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—Rooms on lower floor, outside doors, furnished or unfurnished, close to High School. Farmers phone 61. 4-6*

FOR RENT—Two suites of rooms in Borrusch building. M. H. Borrusch Hanamo phone 587. 5-11*

Mrs. Herren Back.

Mrs. J. W. Herren returned last night from Des Moines, Ia., where she has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Henry Toel, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Herren's brother, Henry Toel, of Conception, accompanied her to Des Moines and returned to his home yesterday evening.

WANTED

Bring them in or phone me. I will call and buy or invoice them.

Show Me—I Have No Agents

Maryville Every Saturday
JIM ANDY FORD
Hanamo 31, Farmers 161

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 6.—CATTLE — Receipts, 600; market, nothing fat.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $15.75; bulk, $15.25@$15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 6.—CATTLE— Receipts, 1,500; estimated tomorrow, 600.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; estimated tomorrow, 10,000; top, $16.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 6.—CATTLE— Receipts, 200.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Stallion and Jack for Season of 1917

NWING HEROD NO. 6245—Is black jack with whitepoints, 15½ hands, extra heavy bone and body, good foot and ear. Has proven to be a sure foal getter.

POULE D'ORR (46955) 68100—Imported Percheron stallion, weighs a ton, coal black, good disposition, is of the close built, blocky type and has good style and action. He has some good colts to prove his breeding quality.

The above animals will make the season of 1917 at the E. E. Saunders farm, 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Maryville and 1 mile south and 2½ miles west of Harmony church.

TERMS—King Herod will stand for $15 and Poule D'Orr for $10 to insure colt to stand and suck. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Service fee becomes due when colt is foaled or when mare is parted with or removed from the neighborhood. Colts to stand good for service fee.

Prairie View Horse Co.
E. E. SAUNDERS, Keeper

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter fat, per lb	40c
Eggs per doz	30c
Hides, per lb	18c
Cocks	8c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Young Roosters according to value.	

Home for Vacation.

Miss Ruth Reuillard, who is attending Drake University at Des Moines, arrived yesterday afternoon to spend her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard.

Forrest Gillam Here.

Forrest Gillam has returned from Columbia, where he is a student at the University of Missouri, to spend the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam.

FAIR AND CLEAR—that's the way your skin will be, if you'll take Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Pimples, blotches, eruptions, and humors are utterly banished by this medicine. It takes away, more thoroughly and certainly than anything else, the blood poisons or impurities that cause them.

For every Skin, Scalp, and Scrofulous affection, no matter how it came, the "Discovery" cleanses, builds up, strengthens, and invigorates every part of the system. Eczema, Erysipelas, Salt-rheum, Tetter, Boils, Carbuncles, Enlarged Glands, and the worst Scrofulous Sores and Swellings are completely and permanently benefited by it.

The "Discovery" is made from native roots without alcohol, and can be had in liquid or tablet form from all dealers. It is one of the best tonics to-day, you feel refreshed in strength and vigor after taking this vegetable tonic.

Do You Neglect Your Machinery?

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Why should the human neglect his own machinery more than that of his horse or his engine? Yet most people do neglect themselves. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice preventive measures. You will escape many ills and clear up the coated tongue, the sallow complexion, the dull headache, the lazy liver, if you will take a pleasant laxative made up of the May-apple, juice of the leaves of aloes, root of jalap, and called Pleasant Pellets. You can obtain at almost any drug store in this country these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c—simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. There can be no counterfeit if they have the Dr. Pierce stamp. Proven good by 50 w[illegible]

Kansas City Attorney Here.

Newton Carson, an attorney of Kansas City, was in Maryville yesterday on court business. While here he was the guest of George Palfreyman, a former classmate at the University of Missouri.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

War Is Declared and We Are Prepared

To meet the demand in
pure blood bred.
The seedy man,
On the seedy side
Can furnish you seeds
That will make you glide.
If ever you saw a seedy
firm,
You'll find them here
For garden and farm,
When you're in town
Just go the rounds,
You'll never find such a
man
By Zounds.
And if you've never seen
R. S. B.,
Jerry will show you,
We're the seediest you
ever see.
I'll bet, by thunder,
That's

R. S. Bruniger

To Go To Skidmore.

George Palfreyman, athletic director, W. A. Power, secretary and Supt. Bert Cooper, president of the Nodaway County Athletic association will attend the first of the series of track meets at Skidmore tomorrow.

S. C. BROWN LEGHORN EGGS from prize winning flock $3 per hundred.
MRS. C. H. RICE,
Farmers phone 40-20.

Ten years' experience with Single Comb Brown Leghorns have proven that they are the kind that lay and pay.
MRS. J. R. EVANS, Route 7. Maryville, Mo. Phone 15-13 Mutual.

Mrs. Holbrook Ill.

Mrs. L. L. Holbrook has been quite ill at her home since Sunday.

EASTER MARKET
ALL DAY SATURDAY
—at—
Hudson & Welch Store by Ladies South Methodist Church

DRS. JESSE G. CLARK and EULA C. GODBY
Osteopathic Physicians
Women and Children A Specialty
THE BAINUM HOTEL, Suite No. 2
Office Hours: 8:30 to 11:00 a. m.. and 2 to 5 p. m. Both phones
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OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

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OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY.

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CHARLES A. JENSEN, 1st Door N. Real Estate Bank

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NEWS DISPATCHES FROM THE INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE.

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EXAMS APRIL 20-21

EIGHTH GRADE PUPILS OF THE COUNTY IN FINAL TESTS.

MAY WIN SCHOLARSHIP

Maryville Conservatory, Business College and County High School Offer Chance to Good Students.

The examinations for eighth grade pupils will be held on Friday and Saturday, April 20 and 21 and each pupil making the required average grade will receive a diploma which is a certificate of promotion and will admit to any high school in the state.

Several scholarships are offered by the Maryville Conservatory of Music, Maryville Business College and the high schools of the county. The rural pupil who makes the highest average grade will receive the first choice of scholarships; the second, the second choice, etc.

County Scholarships.

The following scholarships are offered to rural pupils:

(a) Four years free tuition in the Maryville High School.

(b) Six months free tuition in the Maryville Business College.

(c) Ten weeks free tuition in the Maryville Conservatory of Music.

Township Scholarships.

Hopkins offers two scholarships to the pupils of Hopkins, Union, Independence and Atchison townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Burlington Junction offers two scholarships to the pupils of Nodaway, Green, Lincoln and Atchison townships.

(a) Three years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Barnard offers two scholarships to pupils of Grant and White Cloud townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school for the pupil making the second highest average grade

Elmo offers two scholarships as follows:

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil of Lincoln, Nodaway or Atchison township who makes the highest grade.

(b) Two years free tuition in the high school for the pupil of Lincoln township who makes the highest average grade.

Guilford offers two scholarships to pupils of Washington and Grant townships.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest final average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest final average grade.

Clearmont offers three scholarships to the pupils of Atchison, Lincoln and Nodaway townships.

(a) Three years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

(c) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the third highest average grade.

Ravenwood offers two scholarships to students of Jackson township.

(a) Two years free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition in the high school to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Pickering offers two scholarships to the pupils of Union township.

(a) Two years free tuition to the pupil making the highest average grade.

(b) One year free tuition to the pupil making the second highest average grade.

Skidmore offers two one-year scholarships; one each for the boy and girl who make the highest average grades in Monroe township.

Graham offers two one-year scholarships; one each to the boy and girl who make the highest average grades in Hughes township

Places for Holding Examinations and Names of Conductors.

All teachers of each township are appointed to help the conductors in giving the examinations and in arranging the commencement program. If conductors are not present, the teachers may select them.

Hughes Township — Graham High School. Conductors: J. N. Geyer, Marie Medsker, Veronica O'Grady.

Monroe township — Skidmore High school. Conductors, E. R. Adams, Ruby Ruddle, Otto Riley.

Lincoln township — Elmo High school. Conductors, M. N. Yetter, Nellie McKnight, Audrey Broyles.

Nodaway township — Burlington Junction High school. Conductors, D. V. Culp, Lucy Palmer, C. O. Hester.

Atchison township—Clearmont High school. Conductors, Ralph McClintock, Earl Richards, Ethel Lawrence.

Hopkins township—Hopkins High school. Conductors, J. L. Nierman, Bessie Nicholson, Beulah Russell.

Union township—Pickering High school. Conductors, Hubert Carrett, Jennie Pugh, Alva Burch.

Polk township—Maryville Business College. Conductors, W. H. Burr, Maude Whitehead, Mary Cain.

White Cloud township—Davis school house. Conductors, Effie Henderson, Grace Fisher, C. B. Woodward.

Grant township — Barnard High school. Conductors, J. W. Pierce, Bertha Campbell, Hazel Noblet.

Washington township — Guilford High school. Conductors, A. B. Goodrich, Harvey Lucas, Madison Wilson.

Jefferson township—Clyde school house. Conductors, Sr. M. Maura, C. C. Vickery, Louise McCann.

Jackson township—Ravenwood High school. Conductors, Claude Ross, Nellie Halasey, Myriel Gates.

Independence township — Gaynor school house. Conductors, Ethel Stevenson, Cleola Dowis, Eileene Swope.

Examination will be given at the Parnell High school the same day and any pupils in Independence township who prefer may take the examination there.

Green township—Quitman High school Conductors, Anna Crater, Gladys Hunter, Okalla Suttle.

Easter Market

Saturday by Division C, Ladies Aid Society of Christian Church at

Kessler's West Side Hardware Store

For Sale

Black Percheron, weight 1900, good flesh, good style and action, 13 years old, registry No. 14034.

To be sold at

Hosmer's Monthly Sale

Saturday, April 7

at Gray's Pavilion

R. W. Parent

WILSON'S SPEECH IN BERLIN

President's Message to Congress Creates Sensation in German Capital—Conference With Kaiser.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Berlin, April 6.—The full text of President Wilson's speech, received in Berlin, April 4, created a sensation. The Kaiser received it during the night at headquarters and the result was a momentous conference at the palace. Those taking part were the Kaiser and Kaiserine, the Emperor Charles of Austria, the Empress of Austria, Von Bethmann Hollweg, Count Czernin, Foreign Secretary Zimmerman, Von Hindenberg and others.

H. B. Moyer and son, living east of Maryville, were in Maryville today and took home with them a brand new Ford.

"LIBERTY"

Episode No. 17

FERN, TO-NIGHT

TEN CENTS TO ALL

MAY BORROW $5,000

FUNDS NEEDED BY CITY TO PAY OFF THE CURRENT BILLS.

MUST WAIT FOR TAXES

Property Owners On Third Street to Petition City Council to Have Telephone Poles Removed.

At the meeting of the city council tonight, it is expected that an order will be made to borrow $5,000 from the Maryville banks to pay some of the bills of the city and also to have sufficient funds on hand to run the city until the taxes are paid in.

The vehicle ordinance for a tax on every vehicle in the city will probably pass the council this evening. Quite an amount of money will be raised in this way. The tax on vehicles has not been definitely determined today.

The insurance ordinance providing for a tax on every insurance company doing business in Maryville will not come up at this meeting. There is some opposition to this ordinance.

A petition for the removal of the Hanamo telephone poles along the south side of Third street between Main and Market streets will also come up before the city council this evening. The petition states.

"It is a well known fact that the property owners furnished the money necessary to erect the lamp posts for the White Way with the understanding and promise from the management of the Hanamo Telephone company that all of their poles would be removed from the said White Way district as soon as possible after the completion of the White Way. We find that the Hanamo Telephone company have removed all of their poles as promised except those along the south side of Third street."

J. F. Montgomery Purchases Share of Partner, Who Sells On Account of Health.

J. F. Montgomery has purchased the interest of his partner, Harry H. Lyle, in the clothing store of Montgomery & Lyle. Mr. Lyle is selling out on account of his health, physicians advising him it is necessary for him to stay out-doors. He will take up farming.

The new firm composed of J. F. Montgomery, Will J. Montgomery and Andy Chris Cummins will be known as the Montgomery-Cummins Clothing store.

Mr. Lyle has been with the Montgomery store for five years and appreciated the business the firm has done and would like to have his friends still continue to trade there.

The Woodmen Circle will hold their regular meeting tonight at the hall.

Mr. Friend No Better.

Otis Friend, who is seriously ill at his home in Burlington Junction is still no better. No hope for his recovery is entertained.

Son For Wilcox's.

Mr. and Mrs. Orley Wilcox of Conception, announce the birth of a baby girl, born this morning. Mrs. Wilcox was formerly Miss Beatrice Purcell.

Rowley's Campaign Expenses.

Burt M. Rowley in his campaign for township trustee spent $30, $20 going to the Republican township committee and $10 for printing.

Miss Edith Holt Ill.

Miss Edith Holt, who teaches in the public schools of Clearmont, is seriously ill with appendicitis and was brought to the St. Francis hospital this afternoon, where she will undergo an operation.

"The Crisis" Coming.

Manager Albert Fuchs of the Empire Theatre announces that he has booked "The Crisis," a new photoplay, adapted from the novel of the same name by Winston Churchill, for April 23 and 24.

Easter Service at Pickering.

Easter services will be held next Sunday morning and evening at the Christian church in Pickering. The evening services will be a story entitled, "The Beautiful City," in cantata form.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brown of Hopkins are in Maryville on business today.

ARGUE PRUITT CASE

THE ATTORNEYS FOR BOTH SIDES COMPLETING STATEMENTS.

TO JURY LATE TODAY

One Divorce Suit and Several Other Cases Disposed of in Morning Session of Court.

The case of Mary Pruitt vs. Frank James for $10,000 damages will go to the jury late this afternoon. The attorneys were arguing at press time and it was expected then that it would be in the jury's hands about 5 o'clock. The suit is for damages, alleged on account of an assault.

The case against Jim Young for carrying concealed weapons was nolle pros by the prosecuting attorney.

Jim Young pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting on a public highway and was fined $5

Wm. E. Linville pleaded guilty to gaming with minor and was fined $25 and given a jail sentence of 30 days. On application of the defendant and for cause shown, he was paroled. The case against Linville charged with permitting gaming on premises was nolle pros.

The Lane-McKnight Lumber company of Burlington Junction filed an attachment suit against Lapsley & Bailey.

UREMIC POISONING FATAL

Gladys Bramble, 12-Year-Old Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bramble Dies of the Disease.

Gladys Bramble, the 12-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Bramble, died at 7 o'clock this morning at her home on West Third street following a four weeks' illness of uremic poisoning.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the residence, conducted by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox assisted by Rev. C. Emerson Miller. Burial will be in the Oak Hill cemetery.

The child is survived by her parents, four sisters and three brothers. The sisters and brothers are: Mrs. Everett Baker, Mrs. Clarence Piveral, Ethel and Thelma Bramble and Robert, Louie and George Bramble, all of Maryville.

Among the out-of-town relatives who will be here for the funeral services are Mrs. W. H. Bohannon and daughter of St. Joseph; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bramble, Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson and Mike Freece, all of Skidmore.

COLONEL W. T. JENKINS DIES

Platte County Pioneer, Prominent in Newspaper Circles, Passes Away —Was to be Here April 27.

Platte City, Mo., April 5.—Col. William T. Jenkins, pioneer of Platte county, died at his home here this morning at 9.30 o'clock. Death was due to Bright's disease. He had been ill about a week. No funeral arrangements have been made.

Returned From Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Wilson returned yesterday morning from Daytona Beach, Fla., where Mrs. Wilson has been spending the winter for the benefit of her health. Harry joined her there about a month ago. They visited many points of interest in Florida and other southern states and had a delightful trip. Harry says he never missed a day taking a plunge in the salt water while at Daytona Beach. Mrs. Wilson is very much improved in health, in fact is quite well again.—Burlington Junction Post.

Rhodes Move to Maryville.

Mrs. E. J. Rhodes and daughter, Miss Hazel, are moving from Burlington Junction to the George Stafford property on South Mulberry street, which they purchased a few weeks ago. Mrs. H. H. Staples and Mrs. Ed Hackett accompanied Mrs. Rhodes and Miss Hazel to Maryville to spend the day.

Mrs. Kuth Returns Home.

Mrs. Otto Kluth, who was ill at St. Francis Hospital where she underwent an operation, wos well enough to be taken to her home, near Pickering today. For the last week she has been at the home of her brother, Marion Smith and wife.

Jeff Hoeker of Barnard is in Maryville today on business.

THE U. S. ENTERS THE WAR OF NATIONS

SEIZE WHOLE FLEET

THE U. S. IN POSSESSION OF 27 GERMAN INTERNED VESSELS.

SEND CREWS TO ISLAND

The Fleet Contains Passenger Liners, Freighters and Sailing Ships, Including Finest Vessel in World.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, April 6.—Germany's $51,000,000 mercantile fleet which has been interned here since the outbreak of the war, was seized by us today. There were twenty-seven passenger liners, freighters and sailing ships in the fleet, among them the Vaterland, one of the biggest and finest passenger ships in the world.

Officers and crews numbering more than 3,000 men were taken to Ellis Island for internment. It has been learned that some of the machinery of the ships has been smashed.

BERLIN DETAINS AMERICANS.

The Hague, Holland, April 6.—About 100 Americans are being detained in Berlin, according to information received from the German capitol today. Some Americans arrested in Berlin are suffering privations in prison, among them J. W. James, the New York journalist.

SUBMARINE NEAR TRADE ROUTE.

New York, April 6.—Wireless warnings were flashed today to Allied shippers that a German submarine had been sighted last night between Porto Rico and Bermuda. This locality is close to the great trade route.

$1,000,000 FIRE AT N. J.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Asbury Park, N. J., April 6.—More than a million dollars worth of property, including a score of summer hotels was destroyed by fire this morning which originated in the new $100,000 natorium. Men and women were swimming when the fire broke out, but all escaped

WILSON AND MARSHALL SIGN JOINT BILL AFTER PASSAGE BY HOUSE---THE PRESIDENT ISSUES A CALL FOR TROOPS

Washington, April 6.—The United States formally entered the war of Nations this afternoon when President Wilson attached his signature to the Flood-Martin resolution at 1:13 o'clock Vice-President Marshall signed the bill fifty nine minutes before the President's signature was attached.

President Wilson address a proclamation to the American people and issued a call for volunteers to bring the army and the navy up to its full war strength.

The President also gave his endorsement to the general staff army bill, designed to obtain men by selective conscription.

"Necessary men," said the president in his statement, "will be secured for the regular army and for the National Guards by volunteers as at present, until in the judgment of the authorities it is necessary to resort to selective drafting."

All German ships' crews are now in the hands of the government The Senate gave the President $100,000,000 as an emergency fund.

Washington, April 6.—The President signed the Flood-Martin resolution declaring that a state of war exists with Germany at 1:13 o'clock this afternoon.

It formally accepts the state of belligerency forced by German aggression and authorizes and directs the president to employ all of the military and naval forces and all of the resources of the nation to bring the war against Germany to a successful termination.

The President has issued a call for volunteers, but the exact number is not stated.

Washington, April 6.—With a telegram addressed to every unit in the service, the navy department awaited the President's word in order to mobilize the navy to its entire war strength These orders will bring out the entire reserve force of the United States. All naval reserves and the naval militia of all the states will be mustered at once into federal service.

Vice-President Signs Bill.

Washington, April 6.—The vice-president signed the Flood-Martin war resolution at 12:14 o'clock today, and it was taken to the White House immediately.

The general deficiency bill, carrying $164,000,000 appropriations, was reported favorably to the Senate. It included $100,000,000 emergency appropriation to be placed at once at the disposal of the President.

House Passes Resolution.

Washington, April 6.—The resolution declaring a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was adopted by the House at 3 o'clock this morning by a vote of 373 to 50.

Passage of the resolution followed seventeen hours of debate.

There was no attempt to filibuster but the pacifist group under the leadership of the Democratic leader, Representative Kitchin prolonged the discussion with impassioned speeches, declaring conscience would not permit them to support the President's recommendation that a state of war be declared.

Those Against the President.

The fifty who voted against the resolution were:

Almon, Bacon, Britten, Browne, Burnett, Cary, Church, Connolly of Kansas, Cooper of Wisconsin, Davidson, Davis, Decker of Missouri, Dillon, Dominick, Esch, Frear, Fuller of Illinois, Haugen, Hayes, Hensley of Missouri, Hilliard, Hull of Iowa, Igoe of Missouri, Johnson of South Dakota, Keating, King, Kinkaid, Kitchin, Knutson, La Follette of Washington, Little London, Lundsen. McLeMore, Mason, Nelson, Randall, Miss Rankin of Montana, Reavis, Roberts, Rodenburg, Shackleford of Missouri, Sherwood, Sloan of Nebraska, Stafford, VanDyke, Voigt, Wheeler, Woods of Iowa.

Cheers greeted the announcement of the result

A few minutes later Speaker Clark signed the resolution. The House then adjourned to meet again Monday.

Expect Fight From Pacifists.

Wahsington, April 6.—With America entering into the world war by a formal declaration, Congress today set about the task of providing an army to defend the cause to which the United States has committed itself.

Secretary of War Baker went to the capitol today to explain to the House Military affairs committee the administration army bill calculated to raise a force of a million men in two years. A bitter fight by the pacifists in and out of Congress is bound to be made on the conscription principle.

Declaration of War

Resolution Adopted by the Congress of the United States

WHEREAS, the imperial German government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America; therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the imperial German government, which has thus been thrust upon the United States, is hereby formally declared; and that the President be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the imperial German government; and to bring the conflict to a successful termination, all of the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the Congress of the United States.

Urge Cuba to Declare War.

New York, April 6.—The President of Cuba has urged the Congress of Cuga to declare that a state of war exists between Cuba and Germany.

Brazil Waats War.

Beunos Aires, April 6.—An anti-German manifestation is occurring at Rio Janeiro. The people are demanding war against Germany says the dispatch.

THE WEATHER.

Increasing cloudiness followed by rain late tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight east and south portions, cooler Saturday west portion.

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W. R. C. to Meet.

The W. R. C. will meet at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

D. A. R. Meeting.

The D. A. R. will hold their regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. LeGrand Gann.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

Horse Transport Sunk.

Washington, April 6.—Outrage was added to outrage today in the sinking without warning of the Leyland, a Canadian transport on which there were fifty-six Americans. A cable from Consul Frost at Queenstown revealed this today, when it was thought that all had landed safe.

George Patterson of Skidmore is a Maryville visitor today.

Willis Oxley of Hopkins is in Maryville today on business.

Attempt to Blow Up Bridge.

Waterville, Me., April 6.—An attempt to blow up the Maine-Central railroad bridge here was frustrated by a guard who threw a bomb from the bridge just before the arrival of a train. The bomb exploded, digging a big hole on the embankment.

Mrs. Corwin to Oklahoma.

Mrs. C. C. Corwin leaves tonight for Edmund, Okla., called there by the illness of her brother, J. P. Jayne.

Among the out-of-town people in Maryville today are: Grant Elrod, George T. Clardy, J. B. Bailey, C. S. Abbott of Elmo, G. C. Bird of Maitland and Howard Beedle of Ravenwood.

P. L. Growney was called to St. Joseph yesterday on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. Margaret Growney.

L. L. Maier, who has been quite ill of quinsy for the last week, is somewhat improved today.

Henry and Herman Heitman, living southeast of Maryville, were in Maryville today.

D. E. Brogan, clerk of the Star of the West school near Sheridan was in Maryville on business today.

Mrs. Oma Hughes of Kansas City, was in Maryville attending court yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. James of Elmo were in Maryville attending court today.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

Mrs. Ed Gingrich, Hostess.

Mrs. Ed Gingrich was hostess to the Lasher Homemaking Circle which met yesterday afternoon at her home west of Maryville. Roll call was answered with Sunday dinner menus. Discussions on the serving of meals and on dining room furnishings was held. Refreshments were served by the hostess. The members present were Mrs. C. T. Barrow, Mrs. Will Knepper, Mrs. Lawrence Gault, Mrs. Lloyd Martin Mrs. Ed Gingrich and Mrs. James Stevenson. Two guests, Mrs. Chance Evans and Mrs. Logan were present.

"Mr. Bob" At Guilford.

Last Friday night the Guilford High School gave their annual play. The play selected for this year was entitled "Mr. Bob," which is a good drama in two acts.

Unfortunately one of the boys, who was to take part in the play, took the measles just a few days before the date set for the pla But his part was taken by Mr. Goodrich, the principal and the play was given on time

A good sized crowd was in attendance, even though the weather was threatening. Music was furnished by the school orchestra. Then the play was given with unexpected success. The characters were represented by Bernice Manship, Ottie Meeker, Alice Thompson, Laveta McClanahan, Wilburn Wallace, Glenn Anderson and A. B. Goodrich.

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Ruskin Hawkins, who attends the University of Missouri at Columbia, is here to spend the Easter vacation with his father, Prof. C. A. Hawkins.

Mrs. A. Vandersloot went to Kansas City this afternoon for a several days visit with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Sutton.

Mrs. Robert Riley of Conception who is taking treatment at the St. Francis hospital is reported as improving.

Mrs. Thomas Graham and son and daughter of Conception are among the out-of-town people in Maryville today.

Jesse Robertson of Burlington Junction was a Maryville visitor yesterday.

If You Suffer From Catarrh

don't make the fatal mistake of regarding it as a trifling matter. Authorities agree that Catarrh is an infection of the blood. Consequently, sprays, salves and lotions can afford only temporary relief, because they do not reach the source of the disease,—the blood. When you depend on these temporary remedies alone your case is likely to grow steadily worse until it becomes chronic and possibly affects the lungs.

But even if the infection does not go this far, the continuous dripping of mucous in the throat, the constant spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 302 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

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John Hunt of Sheldon, Ia., is visiting at the home of Mrs. Martin Hunt.

Mrs. Fleet Russell of Savannah is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Key of Maryville.

F. D. Gates of Hopkins was in Maryville today on business.

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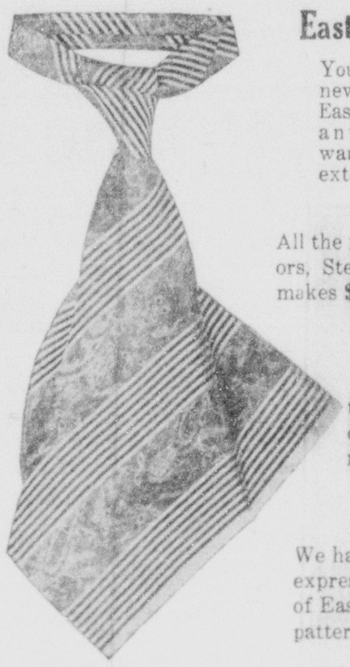

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The refreshments were daintily served, the American flags being used for decoration. A game of "Wynkum" closed the festivities. The committee which arranged for the event were: Entertainment committee, Mabel Fraser, chairman, Mabel Cook, Nile Selecman, and Randolph Holt; Refreshment committee, Wilda Keef, chairman, Melba Appleby, Mildred Eckert, Mildred Shinabargar, Vivian Lyle, and Clio Coler; Finance committee, Forrest Hutchison, chairman, Lynn Auten, Mildred Nicholas, Marie Price. There are 39 members of the class, who are: Mary Louise Andrews, Melba Appleby, Lynn Auten, Lacy Auten, Stella Brown, Clio Coler, Mabel Cook, Roland Curnutt, Mildred Eckert, William Engelmann, Willy Foster, Mabel Fraser, Kate Hilsabeck, Rudolph Holt, Harold Houchens, Dale Hughes, Forrest Hutchison, Mary Irvin, Wilda Keef, Joe Kemp, Vivian Lyle, Creston Maul, Bert McDonald, Sadie Neal, Margaret Norris, Alice Peery, Claude Pierpoint, John Price, Harry Price, Marie Price, James Robinson, Vesta Rogers, Frank Russell, Nile Selecman, Mildred Shinabargar, Alma Tabler, Halcott Toel, Odessa Wells, and Roberta Wells.

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Sixty-five at Banquet.

About sixty-five men attended the three-course banquet given last night at the Pickering hotel by the women of the Methodist church of Pickering. Dr. W. F. Burris of Maryville, gave the main address and the Rev. C. S. Dayhoff pastor of the church was the toastmaster. Reverend Dayhoff spoke on the "Relation of the Church and Community," and Roland Wray, superintendent of the Sunday School, responded with a talk on the "Relation of the Sunday School to the Community." Professor Garrett spoke on the "Public Schools and Community," and Frank Wallis talken on "General Community"

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Dinner Guests at Schenck's.

Mr. and Mrs. John Airy and daughter, Miss Lucile Airy, will be dinner guests tonight of Mrs. Eugenia H. Schenck and Miss Kate Schenck.

Easter Party for Children.

An Easter party will be given from 2:30 o'clock until 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon in the parlors of the Christian church for the children of the Primary department. The mothers are cordially invited to be present as there will be special entertainment.

Epperson's Entertain.

Mrs. G. R. Epperson and daughter, Miss Ethel, entertained the members of the Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church yesterday afternoon. Twenty-seven members answered the roll call and two visitors were present. They were: Mrs. Hutchison and Mrs. Elmer Fraser. The regular program was held. During the social hour refreshments were served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Walter Mutz, Mrs. S. H. Kemp, Mrs. S. M. Townsend and Mrs. Henry Wells.

Mrs. W. P. Scott, Hostess.

Mrs. W. P. Scott entertained the Social Hour club at her home, northwest of Pickering, Wednesday afternoon. Roll call was answered with Easter thoughts. Mrs. Omar Strong played a pleasing selection on the piano. Two new members were taken into the club, Mrs. Will Spangler and Mrs. Roy McMullen. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Leslie Hanna, to the following guests and members: Mrs. Porter, Mrs. W. A. Spangler, Mrs. Roy McMullen, Mrs. Omar Strong, Mrs. George Porterfield, Mrs. J. F. Hanna, Mrs. W. P. Scott and Mrs. Leslie Hanna.

Country Club Meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport entertained the Country Club last night at the White home west of Maryville. The house was prettily decorated with Easter chickens and rabbits. Various games furnished amusement for the guests. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Edna Davenport. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. William Job Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Knabb, Mrs. Lillie Shelton, Mrs. O. L. Shell, Mrs. F. P. Hall, Mrs. Ethel Lincoln, Misses Clydell White, Goldia Adcock, Elizabeth Lee, Edna Davenport, Leora Willhoyte; Wilfred White, Jesse Logan, Ray Zimmerman, Mr. Ross and Frank Pierce.

Sophomore Class Party.

The Sophomore class of the Maryville High School entertained the members of the faculty with a patriotic party at the High school last night. The gymnasium was beautifully decorated for the occasion with large and small American flags. Several amusing games were played and then the guests played dominoes. The prizes were won by Misses Roberta Wells and Clio Coler, each girl receiving a boquet of roses.

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It will surprise you to know how little disturbance is made in wiring your house for electric service.

Your friends will tell you the wiremen leave the house in as good a condition as when the work started.

There will be no tearing up the floors, no repapering no mutilation of the plaster. Our expert wiremen will astonish you with the ease which they "fish" the wire between the walls

It sounds like a big job. It isn't. The expert wiremen are rapid workers and just a few days, sometimes only two, and they are gone—and you are left with an electrically lighted house, a delight to you.

The cost?

We've just worked out a new easy payment plan. Let us show you how little it will cost you and all about the plan.

Why not INQUIRE TODAY?

FREE An Electric Iron and Ironing Board

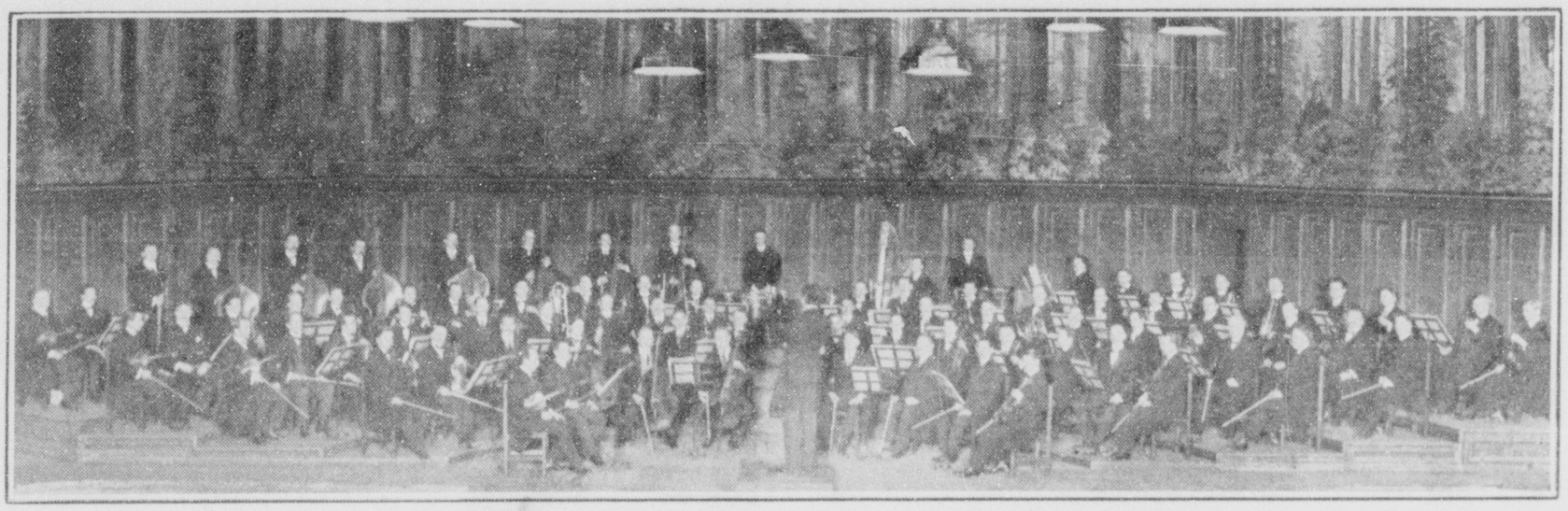
Our Special Offer—Good Until May 15th, Includes an Electric Iron and Ironing Board with every job of house wiring we do in houses already built.
This is a most unusual offer and will not be repeated when the time limit has expired.

Maryville Light, Heat & Power Co.

Empire Theatre Building

APRIL SEVENTEEN and EIGHTEEN

Maryville Annual Spring Music Festival



MINNEAPOLIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, *EMIL OBERHOFFER, CONDUCTOR*

and the following quartet of celebrated singers: Lucile Stevenson, Soprano; Jean Vincent Cooper, Contralto; Charles Harrison, Tenor; Royal Dadmun, Baritone

THREE PROGRAMS—Tuesday night, April 17, in the First M. E. Church will occur a song recital by Miss Cooper and Mr. Harrison. Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock and Wednesday night at 8:15 o'clock the Orchestra assisted by the four singers will give two programs.

The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra is recognized as one of the very best orchestras in America, and the Quartet accompanying them this year is stronger than ever before. The Song Recital on Tuesday night will be given in the First M. E. Church and both Orchestra Concerts will be given in the Normal Auditorium Note the places and dates. Buy Tickets early. SEASON TICKETS – Season Tickets will sell for $2.50 and $2.00. Students $2.00 and $1.50. Single admission Tuesday night $1.00, Wednesday afternoon $1.50 and $1.00, Wednesday night $1.50.

Tickets go on Sale Tuesday, April 10th at LANDON MUSIC COMPANY STORE. Mail orders, with check enclosed, will have prompt attention.
Make checks payable to P. O. Landon, Manager

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one-half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

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Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

PASTURES FOR RENT—160 or 200 acres. Both pastures watered by a spring. John Graham, Farmers phone 168. 6-9*

FOR WELL BORING, see Charles Partridge. Call Knox Garage, Han. 313. 3-9*

BOARDING by day or week. Rooms for rent, 2½ blocks from square on South Main. T. C. Pope. 4-6*

There are 104 reasons why you should buy Reid's Yellow Dent, Iva Silvermine, Johnson and Boone County Seed Corn from M. C. Thompson. Farmers phone 219-11. 2-14*

WANTED

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 6-9

WANTED—Experienced single farm hand to work by month on farm. Inquire at this office. 5-7

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call Mrs. Chas. Wells, Farmers phone 23-0-16. 5-7*

WANTED—A small barn or outbuilding suitable for garage. Guy Haller, Farmers phone 56-15. 5-7*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Queen incubator in good condition. Call Han. 516. 6-9

FOR SALE—Rose Comb White Leghorn eggs, $4.00 per 100, 75c per setting. Jess Dowden, Maryville, Route 3, Farmers phone 1-15. 13-9*

FOR SALE—Cyphers 72-egg incubator, been used one season. M. A. Peery. 5-7

FOR SALE—Work mare, gentle; 2 cows giving milk; 2 heifers, will be fresh soon; farm wagon. 1109 East First street. 5-7

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Five-room flat with bath, formerly occupied by J. C. Denham. See P. O. Landon. 4-6

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—Rooms on lower floor, outside doors, furnished or unfurnished, close to High School. Farmers phone 61. 4-6*

FOR RENT—Two suites of rooms in Borrusch building. M. H. Borrusch Hanamo phone 587. 5-11*

Mrs. Herren Back.

Mrs. J. W. Herren returned last night from Des Moines, Ia., where she has been at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Henry Toel, who is seriously ill. Mrs. Herren's brother, Henry Toel, of Conception, accompanied her to Des Moines and returned to his home yesterday evening.

WANTED

Bring them in or phone me. I will call and buy or invoice them.

Show Me—I Have No Agents

Maryville Every Saturday
JIM ANDY FORD
Hanamo 31, Farmers 161

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, April 6.—CATTLE — Receipts, 600; market, nothing fat.

HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $15.75; bulk, $15.25@$15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, April 6.—CATTLE— Receipts, 1,500; estimated tomorrow, 600.

HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; estimated tomorrow, 10,000; top, $16.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 8,000.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, April 6.—CATTLE— Receipts, 200.

HOGS—Receipts, 3,000; top, $15.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 500.

Stallion and Jack for Season of 1917

NWING HEROD NO. 6245—Is black jack with whitepoints, 15½ hands, extra heavy bone and body, good foot and ear. Has proven to be a sure foal getter.

POULE D'ORR (46955) 68100—Imported Percheron stallion, weighs a ton, coal black, good disposition, is of the close built, blocky type and has good style and action. He has some good colts to prove his breeding quality.

The above animals will make the season of 1917 at the E. E. Saunders farm, 5 miles east and 2 miles north of Maryville and 1 mile south and 2½ miles west of Harmony church.

TERMS—King Herod will stand for $15 and Poule D'Orr for $10 to insure colt to stand and suck. Care will be taken to prevent accidents but will not be responsible should any occur. Service fee becomes due when colt is foaled or when mare is parted with or removed from the neighborhood. Colts to stand good for service fee.

Prairie View Horse Co.
E. E. SAUNDERS, Keeper

Furnished daily by Speirs Produce company.

Butter fat, per lb	40c
Eggs per doz	30c
Hides, per lb	18c
Cocks	8c
Hens, per lb	18c
Ducks	13c
Geese	12c
Young Roosters according to value.	

Home for Vacation.

Miss Ruth Reuillard, who is attending Drake University at Des Moines, arrived yesterday afternoon to spend her Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard.

Forrest Gillam Here.

Forrest Gillam has returned from Columbia, where he is a student at the University of Missouri, to spend the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam.

FAIR AND CLEAR—that's the way your skin will be, if you'll take Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. Pimples, blotches, eruptions, and humors are utterly banished by this medicine. It takes away, more thoroughly and certainly than anything else, the blood poisons or impurities that cause them.

For every Skin, Scalp, and Scrofulous affection, no matter how it came, the "Discovery" cleanses, builds up, strengthens, and invigorates every part of the system. Eczema, Erysipelas, Salt-rheum, Tetter, Boils, Carbuncles, Enlarged Glands, and the worst Scrofulous Sores and Swellings are completely and permanently benefited by it.

The "Discovery" is made from native roots without alcohol, and can be had in liquid or tablet form from all dealers. It is one of the best tonics to-day, you feel refreshed in strength and vigor after taking this vegetable tonic.

Do You Neglect Your Machinery?

The machinery of the body needs to be well oiled, kept in good condition just as the automobile, steam engine or bicycle. Why should the human neglect his own machinery more than that of his horse or his engine? Yet most people do neglect themselves. To clean the system at least once a week is to practice preventive measures. You will escape many ills and clear up the coated tongue, the sallow complexion, the dull headache, the lazy liver, if you will take a pleasant laxative made up of the May-apple, juice of the leaves of aloes, root of jalap, and called Pleasant Pellets. You can obtain at almost any drug store in this country these vegetable pellets in vials for 25c—simply ask for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. There can be no counterfeit if they have the Dr. Pierce stamp. Proven good by 50 [illegible] use.

Kansas City Attorney Here.

Newton Carson, an attorney of Kansas City, was in Maryville yesterday on court business. While here he was the guest of George Palfreyman, a former classmate at the University of Missouri.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

War Is Declared and We Are Prepared

To meet the demand in
pure blood bred.
The seedy man,
On the seedy side
Can furnish you seeds
That will make you glide.
If ever you saw a seedy
firm,
You'll find them here
For garden and farm,
When you're in town
Just go the rounds,
You'll never find such a
man
By Zounds.
And if you've never seen
R. S. B.,
Jerry will show you,
We're the seediest you
ever see.
I'll bet, by thunder,
That's

R. S. Bruniger

To Go To Skidmore.

George Palfreyman, athletic director, W. A. Power, secretary and Supt. Bert Cooper, president of the Nodaway County Athletic association will attend the first of the series of track meets at Skidmore tomorrow.

S. C. BROWN LEGHORN EGGS from prize winning flock $3 per hundred.
MRS. C. H. RICE,
Farmers phone 40-20.

Ten years' experience with Single Comb Brown Leghorns have proven that they are the kind that lay and pay.
MRS. J. R. EVANS, Route 7, Maryville, Mo.
Phone 15-13 Mutual.

Mrs. Holbrook Ill.

Mrs. L. L. Holbrook has been quite ill at her home since Sunday.

EASTER MARKET
ALL DAY SATURDAY
—at—
Hudson & Welch Store by Ladies South Methodist Church

DRS. JESSE G. CLARK and EULA C. GODBY
Osteopathic Physicians
Women and Children A Specialty
THE BAINUM HOTEL, Suite No. 2
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